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THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

(Once Amended) The method of claim 296 wherein the output receptacles include 306. a second receptacle, and further including delivering the bills meeting the stranger bill or no call bill criterion to the [reject] second receptacle.

(Once Amended) The method of claim 307 wherein the output receptacles include a [reject] second receptacle, and further including delivering stranger and no call bills to the reject] second receptacle and wherein suspect bills are delivered to the first [other one of the] output receptacle [receptacles].

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